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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW		Attorney Docket Number: 12177/50701 PATENT	
Applicant Lorin Bruce ROWE	Application No. 09/917,821	Filing Date July 31, 2001	
Patent Number	Issued	Examiner Melvin H. POLLACK	Art Unit 2145
Invention Title METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING INTERACTIVE TEXT MESSAGES DURING A VOICE CALL		Assignee CINGULAR WIRELESS SERVICES II, LLC	

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Sir:

In compliance with M.P.E.P. 713.04, the Applicant provides this Statement of Substance of Interview concerning the telephonic interview conducted on September 12, 2005 with Examiner Pollack.

- (A) Exhibits. No exhibit was shown or demonstration was conducted.
- (B) Claims. 1
- (C) Prior art. Brendzel (US 5,912,952), Srinivasan (US 5,724,412)
- (D) Amendments. Proposed amendments to claims 1 and 15 to add recitation to determining based on content of received information that at least a portion of the received information is suitable for conversion into a text format.
- (E) Principal arguments of Applicant. Brendzel and Srinivassan do not disclose making a determination based on received information content as to suitability for conversion into text. Brendzel only discloses a predetermined menu that is presented as text. Srinivassan only discloses converting voice mail to text – there is no evaluation of the voice mail content.
- (F) Other matters. N/A
- (G) Results. No agreement reached.

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The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 202-220-4323 to discuss any matter regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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